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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: William H. Meek et al.  
 Appln. No.: 10/801,872  
 Filed: March 15, 2004  
 For: Method, System and Database for Providing a Telecommunication Service  
 Attorney Docket No: 8285/672

Examiner: Benny Quoc Tieu  
 Art Unit: 3642

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P. O. Box 1450  
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**TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

**Attached is/are:**

- ☒ Transmittal Cover Letter (1p. Filed in Dup.); Amendment C (8pp.)
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

**Fee calculation:**

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small Entity.
- ☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(\_\_\_\_\_).
- ☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total	18	Minus	20	0	x \$25=			x \$50=	
Indep.	3	Minus	3	0	x 100=			x \$200=	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$180=			+ \$360=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$

**Fee payment:**

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- ☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Aug. 17, 2006  
 Date

Respectfully submitted,  
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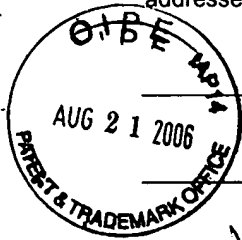
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### AMENDMENT C

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2006, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.

**Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.